



# Wrestlers Will Decide World's Championship Tonight

## MAXINE DEMPSEY TO TAKE THE STAND

empsey's Marriage to 'Former Wife Held to Be Illegal.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 26.—Evidence indicating that the marriage of Maxine Dempsey to Jack Dempsey, heavyweight champion of the world, at Farmington, Utah, in October, 1916, was in violation of the Utah divorce laws and therefore invalid, was made public today by the bureau of investigation of the department of justice here today.

The former Mrs. Dempsey was a prominent witness in the federal grand jury investigation which resulted in the indictment of Dempsey and Jack Kearns, his manager, on a selective draft evasion charge.

The officials announced they had certified documents to show that Mrs. Dempsey married Dempsey thirteen days after she secured an interlocutory decree from George Glasshoff, a brakeman, in Salt Lake City, September 26, 1916, whereas the Utah law directs that no wedding can take place until at least six months after such decree is granted.

The result of the investigation, it is said, will give Mrs. Dempsey the right to testify against Dempsey and Kearns. Dempsey has been finally divorced, but at the time the letters on which the indictments are based were written, Mrs. Dempsey still was his wife. On that account, had the marriage been unquestioned, Mrs. Dempsey could not have testified against her former husband, according to the authorities.

## BEAVERS AGAIN DEFEAT ANGELS

McCredie's Stars Show World of Class in Ball Tilt.

PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
San Francisco	11	7	.609
Portland	10	5	.667
Oakland	11	8	.579
Vernon	11	9	.550
Salt Lake	8	10	.444
Sacramento	8	10	.444
Seattle	7	11	.385
Los Angeles	6	12	.333

Yesterday's Results.  
Portland 12, Los Angeles 3.  
Seattle 3, San Francisco 2.  
No other games scheduled.

PORTLAND, April 27.—The Beavers ended the series with the Angels here yesterday winning the final tilt by a score of 12 to 3. The invaders used three mound stars in an attempt to win. Jones on the slab for the locals, twirled a good game. The score: R. H. E.  
Los Angeles 3 7 3  
Portland 12 3 2  
Batteries: Keating, Perica, Dumovich and Lapan; Jones and Kohler.

## Yankees Defeat Senators, 3 to 2

NEW YORK, April 26.—An exciting ninth inning finish enabled the New York Yankees to defeat Washington today 3 to 2. With the bases full, two out and New York needing one run to tie, Catcher Gherity threw to the outfield trying to catch Bodie napping and Meusel scored the tying run. A base on balls to Peckinpaugh again filled the bases and Bodie scored the winning run when O'Neill fumbled Pipp's grounder. Score: R. H. E.  
Washington 2 8 5  
New York 3 2 3  
Batteries: Erickson and Gharity; Thormahlen and Ruel.

## Detroit Continues to Lose in American Race

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 26.—Van Gilder held Detroit to three scattered hits today and St. Louis won the opening game of the series 4 to 1. Detroit's lone run came in the ninth when Veach drove the ball over the right field bleachers after two men were out. The first home run of the season at the park was made by Tobin in the sixth. Score: R. H. E.  
Detroit 1 3 1  
St. Louis 4 9 0  
Batteries: Oldham, Allen, and St. Louis; Van Gilder and Severid.

## NAVY VARSITY WINS OVER HARVARD CREW

Blue and Gold Stars Show Class in Water Event.

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 26.—The Crimson of Harvard was trailed in defeat over the two-mile course of the Severn river by the Annapolis midshipmen in a three-cornered rowing regatta between varsity, second varsity and freshmen eight-oared shell crews today. The navy victories were clear-cut and marked the second great triumph the sailors have recorded over Harvard oarsmen in two years.

The navy varsity eight swept across the finish line four full boat lengths ahead of their opponents; the navy second crew went over by a five and a half length margin, while the midshipmen won by four lengths.

Official time of the races was: Navy varsity, 11:48; Harvard, 12:05; Navy second crew, 12:15; Harvard second varsity, 12:38; Navy plebes, 12:24; Harvard freshmen, 12:40.

The races were rowed in an almost continual downpour of rain and chilly air and an east-southeast wind made the course rough.

Strikingly similar was the manner in which the rival crews, navy pulling generally between 32 and 38 strokes to the minute, with the Harvard men maneuvering about two strokes slower.

"Never again"—that's what all the managers say after one of these celebrated spring tours of the south. But in the winter they begin thinking about the money and stage, another one.

Willie Hoppe plays with the Ivories and gets \$20,000 a year. About the same price Babe Ruth gets for the same work.

Georges Carpentier is an all-around guy. He has a lot of accomplishments. If he remains over here long enough he'll probably learn how to brew his own beer.

On account of the all-winter stride of Danask the olds are for the Whitney entry in the Kentucky Derby, on May 8. But some of the old birds are saying Danask will sink when put to the real test and that On Watch and Donacoma, second and third in the betting, will finish ahead. And they generally agree that on a heavy track Blazes has the best chance.

"A father should make a playmate of his son," the story said. The youngster gave a joyous yell when these few words he read.

The kid then hastened to his dad and said: "Oh, father, you admit, of course, this dope is right." And papa said: "I do."

"Well, if you'd be my playmate, pa," the lad went on, "perhaps you'll sit beside me on the floor and shoot a game of craps."

## Swedes Win From French Hockey Stars

ANTWERP, April 25.—(By The Associated Press.)—The Swedish hockey team defeated the French team in the Olympic hockey competition here this afternoon. The score was Sweden four, France, nothing. The Swedes, by their victory, won the right to compete in the finals. The game was the hardest fought and most evenly matched yet played.

The Swedes were unable to score in the first 17 innings of play but immediately thereafter made two goals in rapid succession. It was the same story in the second half, the Swedes scoring their two remaining goals in the last three minutes of play.

Och of the French players had a long black beard, but was spied on his feet, as was also another Frenchman who was middle-aged and baldheaded.

WILL ROW RACE

ANNAPOLIS, Md., April 25.—The Harvard-Navy boat race, postponed Saturday because of rough water, will be rowed tomorrow on the Severn river.

## OGDEN HI TRACK MEN TO COMPETE

Class Meet on Card at Tiger School at Lester Park Today.

Track and field stars of the Ogden high school will decide the class title today when the annual interclass games are staged. From advance dope the seniors of the school should win the honors as they have the class of the school in harness.

With such men as Hutton, O'Keefe, Richards and others wearing the colors of the fourth year men the vets expect to romp home with the honors.

While the fourth year men boast of a record breaking team, the first, second and third year men are expected to give the veterans a battle. Kern, Griffen, Williams and others are expected to carry the burden for the underclassmen.

The field events will be held at the high school while the track events will be staged at the Lester Park. Coach Douglas expects his men to make good showings.

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Matt Wells.

By NORMAN E. BROWN.  
Matt Wells, veteran British fighter, is still active in the ring and giving the fans a fight for their money. The recent news that Phil Bloom of Brooklyn outpointed the Britisher in a fifteen-round bout in London last month brought the English ring artist to mind.

Wells at one time was lightweight champion of Great Britain, losing it to Freddy Welsh in a spectacular bout before the National Sporting club in London. The bout was staged in 1912. Welsh previously had lost a twenty-round battle with Matt.

Wells is well known to U. S. ring fans, having fought a number of fights in this country, including ones with Abe Attell, Charley White, Johnny Griffiths, Knockout Brown and others.

Wells finally outgrew the lightweight poundage and retired, but came back last year, challenging Johnny Bashman, welter king of Great Britain and holder of the Lord Londsdale belt. Bashman outpointed Wells in twenty rounds on November 13, 1919.

Wells has been a clever, shifty boxer, but never developed a haymaking wallop.

## Milton Shatters Six World Records

DAYTON, Fla., April 25.—Six world records for automobiles were broken here today by Tom Milton in his 16-cylinder car. The events were sanctioned and supervised by the American Automobile association officials. Milton covered one kilometer in 14:55; three miles in 1:12:18; four miles in 1:26:14; and five miles in 2:00:04. Previous records, held by Ralph de Palma, were: One kilometer, 14:58; three miles, 1:15:04; four miles, 1:29:77; and five miles, 2:04:58.

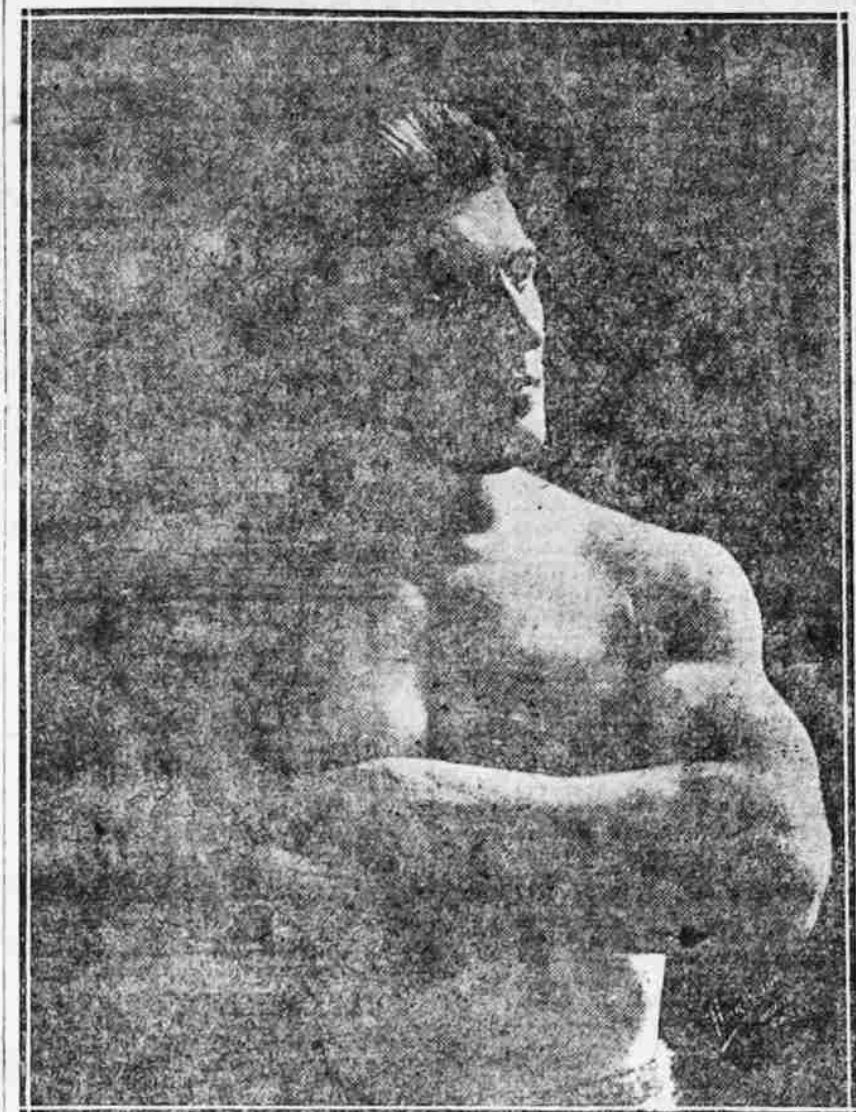
Milton also reduced his own world record for the half mile and mile doing the half in 1:11:56 and the mile in 2:23:58.

## American Trap Team Accepts English Offer

NEW YORK, April 25.—The trap-shooting team which will represent America in the Olympic games has accepted an invitation to visit England to participate in the English championships, July 15-17, before proceeding to Antwerp, it was announced today. Plans have been made for the American team to sail from here July 3.

Most spiders have poisonous fangs, but the poison is rarely fatal to humans.

## Ad Santel, Who Will Defend Wrestling Title Here Tonight



## What They Say

CHARLES WEBB MURPHY.  
There seems to be a strong undercurrent to discourage deals for the services of ball players for a mere monetary consideration. Some of the biggest men in baseball think it is hurting the game. Every once in a while someone remembers the colossal price paid for Babe Ruth, and straightway unburies his views. Charles Webb Murphy of the Chicago Cubs, says:

"If professional baseball ever gets to the point where those interested will attend to it, we may have a rule that will make such a deal as the transfer of Babe Ruth from the Red Sox to the Yankees impossible. Every body's business is nobody's business, and that I am sorry to say, is how baseball has been largely conducted of late. We all admire the prowess of Ruth as a slugger and commend the liberality of the New York club-owners in securing his services, but what the Boston public. Can a major league club—if it expects to bid for public patronage—afford to sell the services of a star player for money alone? I claim it cannot. If Ruth is worth \$100,000 to \$150,000 to New York, is he not worth as much to Boston?"

HEINE ZIMMERMAN  
There has been one faithful follower of baseball at the New York Polo Grounds daily to see the Giants away to a poor start. He is Heine Zimmerman. Zim is placed in the unfortunate position of not knowing where he stands. He says he cannot deny charges which have never been made known, and yet which are rumored to exist concerning his name as a ball player. He says:

"If I cannot play with the Giants, as now seems probable, I think I should be given my unconditional release so that I could play with some other club and earn a living. I have heard that several big league clubs want me, but cannot do business with them if I am not a free agent."

## EVERETT SCOTT IN 534 GAMES STRAIGHT

BOSTON, April 26.—Everett Scott, shortstop of the Boston Americans, will break all major league records for playing in consecutive games when he takes the field against the Athletics at Philadelphia today. With today's game Scott will have participated in 534 consecutive league contests.

Scott started his continuous playing on June 20, 1916, with the Red Sox, and he has not missed a game since.

MEET SWEDEN TODAY.

ANTWERP, April 26.—(By The Associated Press.)—The American team will play Sweden Tuesday night and the victor will play the Czechoslovaks, who have drawn a bye, on Wednesday.

## Champ Santel Primed For Harbertson Tilt at Alhambra Theater

All is in readiness for the world's championship wrestling contest which will be staged at the Alhambra theater this evening. Both Jack Harbertson, challenger, and Ad Santel, world champion, are primed for the contest and the fans are promised a rattling good tilt from start to finish.

Santel defeated Harbertson here in a wonderful match last January but since that time the local man has been in constant training for the match tonight with the hopes of pinning the shoulders of the champion to the mat.

Harbertson's many backers are of the opinion that Jack will turn the trick, while Santel's supporters can see nothing but victory for the champ. Both men are confident.

"I am confident that I will be returned the victor," said Champion Ad Santel today, "and while Jack is one of the best men in the west, I am prepared to give him the hardest match of my career. Harbertson is a star of the classiest type and I am sure that he will be hard to defeat, but whether I win or lose, I will give the fans the best I have."

Santel completed his training at the Eagles' gymnasium yesterday, and those who watched the champion work out state that he is in perfect condition. Ad is known as the man with a thousand holds and will, no doubt, demonstrate them tonight.

Harbertson has been in constant training for months and is pronounced in perfect condition. Jack wrestled Romonoff at Green River a few nights ago and states that he is eager for victory.

"I realize that I am going up against the best man in the world," said Har-

bertson, "but I am sure that I will be the winner, at least I hope so. I am in the best condition of my career and hope to be returned the victor."

The two men have scores of backers in Ogden and the betting on the match is about even on both men. An array of boosters of Santel arrived in Ogden this morning from Boise, eager to place their money on the champion. Ogdenites grabbed all in sight it is said.

Ben Petre, well-known sport follower in the western country, a resident of Green River, will be the third man in the ring in the feature event. Petre has had years of experience and should handle his position well.

The opening contest, a battle royal will take the stage at 8:30 o'clock. This will be a new innovation to Promoter Glasman and one that is sure to make a hit. Art Chester and Young Apollo will decide the Utah and Idaho middleweight title in the special event. Both Chester and Apollo are fast and clever men and a match of the rip sort should result.

From advance reports the largest crowd that ever attended a match in Ogden will be on hand when the two stars of the mat start work.

Let's hear the gong! Now that Promoter Glasman has brought this title match to Ogden, The Alhambra theater will seat about 3,000 and it is expected that every seat will be occupied.

In past years Ogden has been noted for its wonderful sporting blood and the old-time vim and ginger is expected to return tonight with a knockout punch.

## RUBE MARQUARD TWIRLS VICTORY

Dodgers Triumph Over Giants in Thrilling Game.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Brooklyn	7	3	.700
Pittsburg	6	3	.667
Cincinnati	6	3	.667
St. Louis	5	5	.500
Philadelphia	4	5	.444
New York	3	5	.375
Boston	2	4	.333
Chicago	2	5	.286

Yesterday's Results.  
Philadelphia 2, Boston 10.  
New York 2, Brooklyn 4.  
No other games scheduled.

BROOKLYN, April 26.—After New York had scored two runs off Marquard in the first inning today, Brooklyn came back and batted in four, driving Neff from the box. The final count was 4 to 1. Marquard allowed only three hits. Score: R. H. E.  
New York 2 3 1  
Brooklyn 4 1 0  
Batteries: Neff, Winters, Douglas, and Snyder; Marquard and Elliott.

## Boston Easily Wins From Phillies, 10-3

BOSTON, April 26.—Boston overwhelmed Philadelphia 10 to 3, Rixey being knocked out early and Bettes showing extreme wildness. Pick and O'Neill hit well and timely. Score: R. H. E.  
Philadelphia 3 1 4  
Boston 10 3 0  
Batteries: Rixey, Bettes and Wheat; Oeschger and O'Neill.

WESTERN LEAGUE.

Omaha at Oklahoma City, rain.  
St. Joseph at Tulsa, cold.  
Des Moines at Joplin, rain.

ILLINOIS WINS AT WATER POLO

OAKLAND, Cal., April 25.—The Illinois Athletic club defeated the Neptune club of Stockton, 13 to 2, in the first game of the national water polo championships held here today.

## SCOTT WINS FOR BOSTON PLAYERS

Star Shortfielder Hits Homer in Fourth Game.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Chicago	6	0	1.000
Boston	8	2	.800
Cleveland	6	2	.750
Washington	4	5	.444
New York	3	4	.425
St. Louis	3	4	.425
Philadelphia	2	6	.250
Detroit	0	9	.000

Yesterday's Results.  
Boston 9, Philadelphia 0.  
Detroit 1, St. Louis 4.  
Washington 2, New York 3.  
No other games scheduled.

PHILADELPHIA, April 26.—Scott, Boston shortstop, celebrated his new record for consecutive games pitched in by hitting a home run with McInnis on first, culminating a batting onslaught which decided today's game with Philadelphia in the fourth inning. The final score was nine to nothing.

Score: R. H. E.  
Boston 9 11 1  
Philadelphia 0 7 2  
Batteries: Pennock and Walters; Keefe, Perry and Perkins, Styles.

## Rainiers Win Final Contest From Seals

SEATTLE, April 27.—The final game of the series with the Seals was won by the locals here yesterday by a score of 3 to 2. Both teams played a peppy game. The score: R. H. E.  
San Francisco 2 3 2  
Seattle 3 3 1  
Batteries: Seaton, Smith and Agnew; Demaree and Adams.

## CANADA-SWEDEN TILT FOR HOCKEY TITLE

ANTWERP, April 26.—Canada and Sweden will meet tonight to determine the Olympic hockey championship. France and the United States were eliminated for first place honors, the former losing to Sweden by a score of 4 to 0, and the latter going down to a 2 to 0 defeat before the Falcons of Canada after a stirring contest. That Canada will win the championship seems certain.

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The electrical industry, in normal times uses from 60 to 70 per cent of the world's copper output.